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"It started small, as these things do.
"Started by organizing. Gathering. *Learning.*
"We were a *secret club* at first. Idealistic. In order for our delicate house of cards to stand, we formed a strong foundation to build upon.
"Loyalty was necessary. Loyalty. Honesty. *Trust.* These things aren't a given. They must be *earned.*
"And we earned them. It took time, but we proved ourselves worthy of it.
"Snippets of information would break through the propaganda. *Change was coming.*
"It was in the air...
"But change can often be violent. Change breaks bones, minds, hearts.

"But the *people*... they heard the call...
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WHERE IS LEADER ROSSOVICH?
"...soft as a whisper... a *trickle* in its infancy, it flowed into a rushing river.
"And all rivers, though rough, winding and rocky in their route, lead...
"...to *freedom*.
"The sweetest of words.
DICT
"But like *honey* on a bear's paw...
"...it is a most *delicate* thing.
"Our opponents know that freedom means death to them.
"They know that a caged beast fights the fiercest.
"But face-to-face...the oppressed and the oppressor become one and the same. Two beasts. One way forward."

One lives...and one dies...
Do you hear them out there? These... traitors...
Quiet, snezhinka.
...so it is time that we reveal ourselves. No more whispers or secrets. We are the Opposition. We have fought and we have died for our freedom.
And it is your choice, now, to decide how you want to live.
Join us or--
Drivel. Beneath a Rasputin to speak so... lowly.
Y-yes, Leader.
Our brother was not wrong. "Two beasts. One way forward."
Nice of him to account for the both of us...

The package is secure.
This is the *Cerebomb*--a psionic weapon made from a telepath's brain--and it's *one of a kind*. Capable of getting by any defenses a mutant may generate.
We have selected our best and brightest for this mission--Lermontov and Turgenev--as there is *no room* for failure. They are to hit the target. They are to *destroy* the target. The target: *the Opposition*.
This operation is codenamed "Serpent Hunt." It is known only to those of us standing here.
Known only to our Leaders and yourselves...are the contents of this envelope.
These...are your *coordinates*. Lock them in.
Leader Illyana will open a portal. You will fly into it. She will drop you into enemy airspace. You *will* get the jump on them. You *will* drop the bomb. Then you are home free.
Remember, this is an *untested* weapon.
We have only one and--I...I do not know the terminology, but...maintain height and leave...*quickly*... We do not know the strength of the...
...blast.

Chernihiv, Southwestern E.R.,
Temporary Base of Operations for the Opposition.
BRRIIING BRRIIING--
Allo... You know da time, yeah?
Mmhm. Now we cookin' wit grease. Who dis?
Logan! Somebody on da phone wanna speak wit you!
Yeah?
Phone rang. For you.
Hello? Who's--?

It's me. Victor. Wanted to lie low, wait a bit. Just in case...
Victor. [redacted]. I thought you n' the kids got caught in the--
Nah... we made it. Just.
Saw Mikhail's little message to the world, saw you guys made it too.
Things are gettin' crazy out there... Crazier than usual...
Yeah...
I still don't know if that revealin' gamble was the right one...
You've always been a lone wolf...
Look, I got Rossovich. Took 'is head clean off with that blade ya gave t' me, n' I think Mikhail's on a victory lap for hisself 'cause of it.
Shouldn't be... These Rasputins ain't the quittin' type. He hit 'em hard. Made 'em look like a buncha fools...weak. Got their country turnin' on 'em...the world... all at the hands of their own brother...
They ain't gon' let that slide, Victor.

He's their brother. You don't think he knows them better than you? An outsider lookin' in?
Ahh... Of course he knows 'em. That's not the point. He's gettin' cocky, Victor. Y'know what that means?
He's gettin' sloppy.
KLINK
That's [redacted] right. I don't think we should stay here. We gotta keep movin'. There ain't no tellin' what the Republic knows, I--
What, ya think there's a rat?
I think... I don't know what I think.
Maybe not. Probably not. I worry sometimes they took stuff...people, places. I worry they took it outta...outta my brain. Outta someone else's. Tracked us somehow...
SNFF

SHOOOOOM
Wh-wh-what the h-h-hell is th-that?
Bomb.
They know we're here n' they got a bomb! Evacuate! EVACUATE!

Hey, Numero Uno--
Hrrm?
I need you to take me up in the air. NOW.
Logan! What are you doing?! We need the transport to--
No time. Gotta try to stop it.
Try n' get everyone clear in case I can't.
Damn it.
EVERYONE! Get clear of the building!
EVACUATE!

All right.
TUNK-TUNK
Fly, ya bucket 'a bolts.
KA SHNK
CHOOOOOM

WOOOSH
Nn--

Go! Move! We have the trucks outside! Poshevelivaysya!
Mikhail...
...the trucks're filled wit ammo--we ain't got da room.
Make the room, Remy.
Hear me?! Make. The. ROOM.
We can try...
Y'all, follow me!

C'mon! Let's get 'em!
Locked on target. Clear to engage.
Quickly!

Copy.
Allons, pistache, c'mon up. Don't you worry yerself, you gon' be fiiine.
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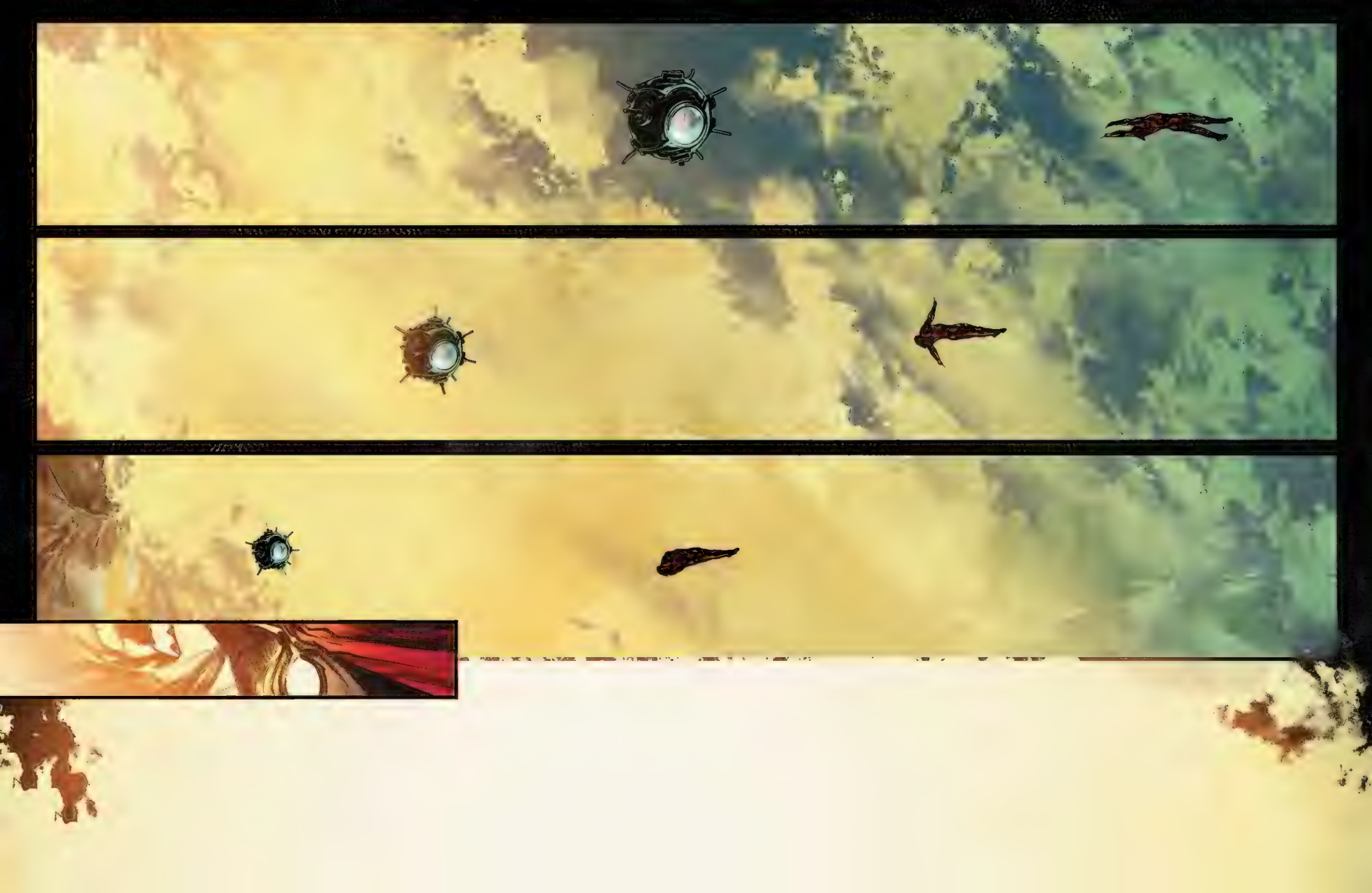

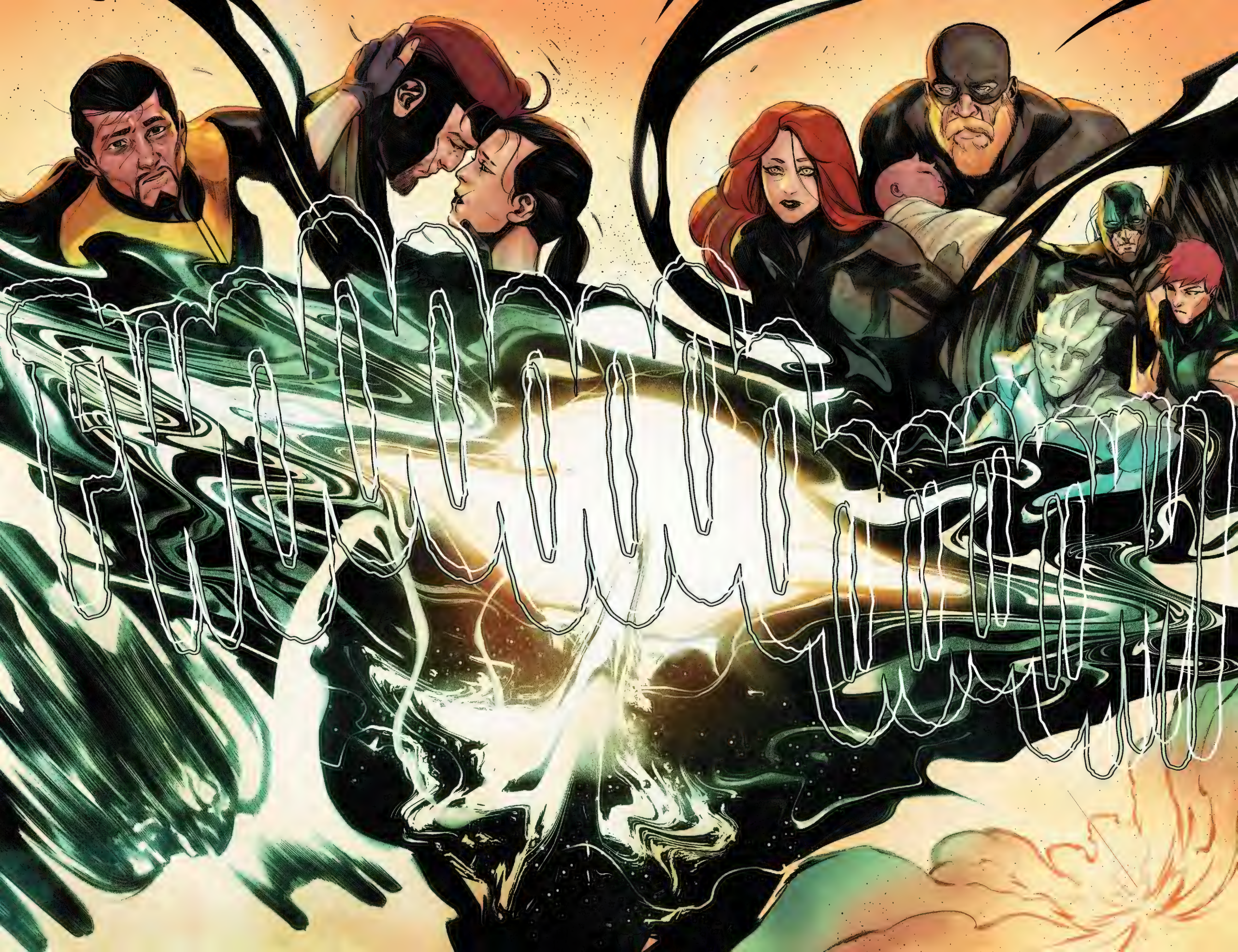

Hnn--!
Hff--
NO...
NO, NO...

It was a direct hit, Leader. The Opposition is... *no more.*
Initial readings suggest the Cerebomb performed *exceptionally* well, Leader. Perhaps we should utilize the Phoenix Specimen for a similar weapon...
Very good. This is *very, very good.*
It is a victory, brother. This is true. The Opposition may be dead...
...but the infection has spread...
...and my children in Limbo grow... *hungry...*
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UNREST GROWS ACROSS EURASIAN REPUBLIC, LEADERS SILENT

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ONLINE PHOTOS EMERGE OF MIKHAIL RASPUTIN ALIVE AND WELL

Uncertainty has given way to unrest in the Eurasian Republic following the shocking revelation that Mikhail Rasputin, the former leader of the Eurasian Republic and brother to Leaders Piotr and Illyana Rasputin, is alive and has been acting as the secretive figurehead behind the Opposition force, which the E.R. leaders have classified as a terrorist group.

This earth-shattering discovery has shaken the E.R. to its core, reverberating inside and outside of government offices. Frustrated with the lack of clarity from the E.R. leaders, people have taken to the streets in protest in numbers not seen in a decade. Some within the E.R. government, speaking anonymously, have expressed worries that this rupture between the Rasputins may lead to a civil war as the struggle for power between the two factions emerged.

Mikhail Rasputin's reported death gripped the E.R. and provided rationale for the E.R. leaders' crackdown on political dissidence to quell more potential violence. But with Mikhail Rasputin's death revealed to be a hoax, people dissatisfied with the Rasputin regime are making their voices heard, citing Mikhail Rasputin's own words.

While the leaders of the E.R. have not issued a statement or made any public appearances since their brother's return, troops have been dispatched throughout Moscow and several other cities in anticipation of further unrest.

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